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# PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
HIROKI HIYAMA ET AL. )  
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For: IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE )  
Examiner: Brian C. Genco  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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### AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 1, 2005, please consider the following.

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